



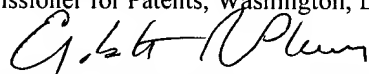
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Philippe Verwaerde et al.
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Filed: April 14, 2000
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Art Unit: 1643

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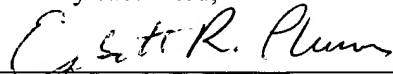
Transmitted herewith for filing are the following:

- [x] Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time
- [x] Part 2 - Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application
- [x] Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application
- [x] Fee Calculation Sheet and Multiple Dependent Claim Fee Calculation Sheet
- [x] Second Preliminary Amendment
- [x] Original Declaration executed by inventors
- [x] Original Declaration Claiming Small Entity Status
- [x] Original Assignment from inventors to Devgen NV and Recordation Form Cover Sheet
- [x] Certified copy of priority document application no. 9908670.4
- [x] Letter to Official Draftsperson, including 19 pages of formal drawings (Figures 1-19).
- [x] Statement filed pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §§1.56, 1.97, and 1.98
- [x] Form PTO-1449 (Modified) and copies of references cited therein
- [x] Return Receipt Postcard

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the mailroom and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 720-3500, Boston, Massachusetts.

A check in the amount of \$2,806.00 is enclosed to cover the small entity surcharge fee, two-month extension fee, basic filing fee, extra total claims and extra independent claims fees, and assignment recordation fee. Please charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23/2825. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


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Fee Calculation Sheet

CLAIMS	FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE
	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	168-20=	148x	\$ 18	= \$ 2,664.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	24-3=	21 x	\$ 78	= \$ 1,638.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d)) +			\$	= \$
				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))	\$ 710.00
	Fee for Petition for Extension of Time (if any)				\$ 390.00
	Total of above Calculations =				\$ 5,402.00
	Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).				\$ 2,701.00
	Assignment Recordation Fee (if any)				\$ 40.00
	Other Fees (if any) - Surcharge Fee.				\$ 65.00
	TOTAL =				\$ 2,806.00

1. A check in the amount of \$2,806.00 is enclosed.

General Authorization to Charge Deposit Account and General Request for Extension of Time

2. a.X If the filing of any paper in this application necessitates the payment of a fee under 37 CFR §§ X1.16 X 1.17 or ☐ 1.18, and the fee due is in an amount different from any enclosed check or if no check is enclosed, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23/2825.
- b. ☐ The applicant hereby revokes any prior authorization to charge a fee due under 37 CFR §§ ☐ 1.16 ☐ 1.17 or ☐ 1.18.
3. If the filing of any paper in this application necessitates an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136(a), the applicant hereby requests such extension of time. If the fee due is in an amount different from any enclosed check or if no check is enclosed, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23/2825.


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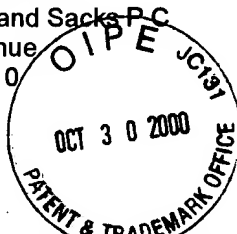


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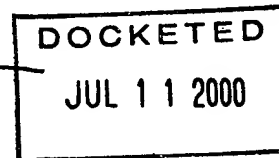
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$18350.
 - \$16452 for 914 total claims over 20.
 - \$1638 for 21 independent claims over 3.
 - \$260 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 19170.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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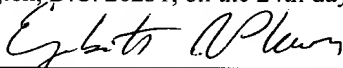
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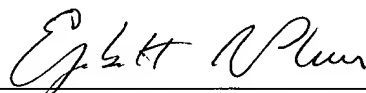
LETTER TO OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON

Sir:

Enclosed are nineteen (19) sheets of formal drawings containing Figs. 1 through 21. Approval of the formal drawings is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23/2825. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PART OF APPLICATION

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on June 28, 2000 (copy enclosed). A Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time and appropriate fee are filed concurrently herewith.

Attached is an original Declaration for Patent Application.

Attached is a Declaration Claiming Small Entity Status.

The attached check includes the small entity surcharge fee of \$65.00 in response to Notice to File Missing Parts.

Attached is a certified copy of priority document application no. 9908670.4.

Attached is an original Assignment to Devgen NV along with a Recordation Cover Sheet.

The attached check includes the \$40.00 assignment recordation fee.

Attached is a Letter to Official Draftsperson, including 19 pages of formal drawings (Figures 1 through 21).

Accordingly, Applicant believes that this document is responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts.

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If any other information is needed, please contact the undersigned attorney by phone (617-720-3500, Ext. 343) to expedite the further prosecution of this patent application.

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